

LITERARY ITEMS.

M. de Presigny is preparing a new pamphlet on the present situation of France.
M. Thiers is said to be engaged on a work to be entitled "Histoire de l'Esprit Français."
M. Leon Bertrand announces a new sporting journal in Paris, called Le Derby.

MISCELLANEOUS JOTTINGS.

The receipts from Internal Revenue last week were \$3,455,572. The total receipts since June 30 amount to \$218,193,180.
A Scotch nobleman, who owns property in the island of Orkney, has offered to subscribe \$50,000 for the construction of railways in that district.

PROPOSALS.

ARMY SUPPLIES. OFFICE OF SUPERVISOR COMMISSARY, MILITARY DIVISION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY, WASHINGTON, D. C., February 21, 1866.
SEALED PROPOSALS.
TELETYPE DAY, March 15, 1866.

GOVERNMENT SALES.

SALE OF STEAM BOILER, FORCE PUMPS, WATER WHEEL, FIRE PLUGS, &C., COMPRISING THE WATER WORKS AT GIESBORO, D. C.
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE, FIRST DIVISION, WASHINGTON, D. C., February 28, 1866.

GOVERNMENT SALES.

SALE OF GOVERNMENT STEAMERS AND VESSEL EFFECTS. DEPT. QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C., February 18, 1866.
Will be sold at Baltimore, Md., under direction of Captain A. M. Lummas, A. Q. M., on THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1866, AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.

GOVERNMENT SALES.

DANIEL H. BURDETT, AUCTIONEER. UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT VESSELS AT AUCTION. BURDETT, JONES & CO., WILL SELL ON THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1866, AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

MUSICAL ITEMS.

Piccolomini was at last accepted very ill with a malady of the spine.
Gluck's Armide is to be revived at the Theatre Lyrique, Paris.
Zaffirone, at St. Petersburg, is described as a transcendentally beautiful chamber piece.

MUSICAL ITEMS.

The fact is not generally known that the financial condition of the Government is very much stronger than is made to appear from the monthly report of the National Debt issued by the Treasury Department.

GOVERNMENT SALES.

OFFICE OF ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER, WASHINGTON, D. C., February 12, 1866.
SALE OF SURPLUS GOVERNMENT MULES. All good and serviceable.

GOVERNMENT SALES.

SALE OF NEW HOSPITAL CLOTHING, BEDDING, &C. MEDICAL PURVEYOR'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C., February 15, 1866.

GOVERNMENT SALES.

SALE OF FCOAL. ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, PHILADELPHIA DEPOT, February 27, 1866.

GOVERNMENT SALES.

SALE OF MEDICINES BELONGING TO THE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY. MEDICAL PURVEYOR'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C., February 9, 1866.

INTERNAL REVENUE.

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